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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 24, 2007, the period of response for which runs through August 24, 2007, please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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